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Pernod Ricard Subsidiary, AGROS HOLDING SA disposes of its confectionery business

Paris, 2 July 2002 – Agros Holding has finalized contracts for the disposal of its confectionery business:

- ZPC SKAWA S.A. – confectionery and patisserie producer – sold to SKAWA BIS Sp. Zo.o, a company regrouping shares held by the employees since privatisation in 1997, and
- ZPC AGROS-OPTIMA S.A. – confectionery producer – sold to UNITOP and PARTNER Sp. Zo.o.

The sale to these Polish companies is the result of Agros' refocusing on its core activities of fruit juice and jam. Through this action, Agros aims to reinforce its leading position in the industry.

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